



# Montana

## Department of Labor and Industry

### Workforce Services Division

February 27, 2009

## GOOD NEWS!!

Stillwater Mine workers could be eligible for Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) benefits. We want to help you explore the opportunities available to you! Don't miss out on important TAA benefit and deadlines! Spouses & significant others are welcome to attend the meeting with you.

### **TAA INFORMATIONAL WORKSHOP – 2 Sessions each day**

**Thursday, March 5**

**Big Timber at the Palladium Building 8:30 a.m. & 1 p.m.**

**AND**

**Tuesday, March 10**

**MSU Billings College of Technology ~ 3803 Central Ave-Room B57 Tech Building**

**8:30 a.m. & 1 p.m.**

Please allow 3-4 hours so we can cover TAA benefits and the information listed below:

- **Job Search** – Pre-approved assistance with mileage, meals & motel for verified interviews over 50 miles away
- **Relocation** – Pre-approved assistance with moving expenses for workers who must relocate themselves and their family to a permanent residence for a job over 50 miles away
- **Classroom Training** – Pre-approved assistance for workers needing training in a new occupation
- **On-the-Job Training** – TAA can pay half the hourly wage to employers who hire & train a worker in a new occupation on a pre-approved On-the-Job Training Plan
- **Health Care Tax Credit (HCTC)** – 65% advanced payment of insurance premiums or a tax credit at the end of the year
- **Alternative Adjustment Assistance (ATAA)** – Workers over 50 years of age may qualify for a wage subsidy of 50% of the difference of their old and new wages if they take a lower paying full time job within 26 weeks of their layoff date
- **Waivers** - In order to "lock in" certain benefits a signed waiver must be in place within 16 weeks of your layoff date or 8 weeks of the TAA petition being approved
- **TAA enrollment paperwork**-required for TAA participation
- **TABE Assessment**- Basic Math & Reading assessment required for enrollment (unless you have a college diploma)

**Please** bring **copies** the following information:

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|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| ❖ Birth Certificate or Passport | ❖ DD214 (Veterans of the military) |
| ❖ Social Security Card (Signed) | ❖ Layoff Letter                    |
| ❖ Driver's License (current)    | ❖ College Diploma if applicable    |
| ❖ Letter of Employment          | ❖ Training Plan Idea!              |

TAA Petition Numbers are as follows:

<b>64737</b>	<b>Stillwater—Billings location</b>
<b>64737A</b>	<b>Stillwater—Nye location</b>
<b>64737B</b>	<b>Stillwater—Columbus location</b>
<b>64737C</b>	<b>Stillwater—Big Timber (McLeod) location</b>



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If you have any questions or can't make it to the workshop, please call any Job Service One Stop Workforce Center and ask for someone in Programs.

Location of session is Montana State University Billings College of Technology at 3803 Central Ave Billings. Room B57 Main Campus Building, on Mar. 10.

From: Zoo Dr. Billings, MT 59101 US  
To: 3803 Central Ave, Billings, MT 59102-4307 US

#### DRIVING DIRECTIONS

A) Zoo Dr, Billings, MT 59101 US

1. Start out going NORTHWEST on ZOO DR toward S FRONTAGE RD. (go 1.0 miles)
2. Turn SLIGHT RIGHT onto S SHILOH RD. (go 2.3 miles)
3. Turn RIGHT onto CENTRAL AVE. (go 0.2 miles)
4. End at 3803 Central Ave Billings, MT 59102-4307

B) 3803 Central Ave, Billings, MT 59102-4307 US

>> TOTAL ESTIMATED TIME: 5 minutes | DISTANCE: 3.55 miles



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